## STATE OF ARIZONA PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Arizona has protected the natural wonders, culture and heritage of the State and supported an innovative, modern economy that attracts and rewards environmentally responsible economic growth; and

WHEREAS, Arizona has maintained an active Pollution Prevention Program for more than 25 years and continues to support National Pollution Prevention Week, reducing Arizona facilities' hazardous waste generation and toxic chemical use with operational and process improvements by reducing waste at the source; and

WHEREAS, manufacturing is an integral part of Arizona's growing economy; and

WHEREAS, science-based practices for preventing pollution during manufacturing processes benefit the health and safety of Arizona's children, public, workforce and environment by protecting the quality of our air, water and land and promoting energy efficiency, water conservation and other best practices; and

WHEREAS, promoting pollution prevention solutions for businesses and the environment enhances efficiency and innovation in manufacturing, better helping the State of Arizona conserve its natural resources for future generations and meet the challenges of global economic competitiveness.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Douglas A. Ducey, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 21 - 27, 2020, as

## ARIZONA POLLUTION PREVENTION WEEK

and urge all state agencies, businesses, and citizens of Arizona to continue fostering pollution prevention for the benefit of our economy, community, and environment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-sixth day of August in the year Two Thousand and Twenty and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Forty-Fifth.

ATTEST:

SECRETARY OF STATE